

SENATOR BAILEY WORRIES FRIENDS

Baltimore Sun Comments on His Employment by Standard Oil Company.

NEWS OF NATIONAL CAPITAL

Washington, Sept. 24.—It is inconceivable here among the friends of Senator Bailey, who have so long watched with admiration his brilliant public life, always on the side of the people against the aggressions of capital, that he should have accepted a legal fee from any company, knowing that it came to him by reason of his official position or the influence he brought to the bar because he was a member of the United States senate.

It is more conceivable that Senator Bailey was legally employed because he was known to be familiar with state statutes and one of the great constitutional lawyers of the day. Nearly half, if not two-thirds, of the senate is made up of lawyers, most of whom have a large legal practice, and it is unjust to suppose that this practice has been obtained only by virtue of their offices.

The amount of fees received by these practicing senatorial attorneys cuts no figure in the case. Some of the senators work hard at their legal profession during the interim of the senate sessions and do not make as much as their salary from the government, while others realize large fees, especially those who look after corporation interests.

It would be best if all of the latter should be disqualified of seats in the senate, for as Mr. Bryan says, it is hard to serve two masters. These days a man of brains and capacity cannot afford to serve as a senator without he has outside competence. His salary would not pay his actual living expenses at Washington.

While the government is squandering millions upon millions a year at home and in its possessions, it should at least double the pay of its lawmakers so that they would have no good excuse to go outside for a living. In fact, the rapid pace we are going is pretty tough on a poor man. He is ever so worthy, popular and meritorious, he is cut off from holding office either by excessive entrance fees in a primary election or the exactions upon his salary when elected.

But returning to Senator Bailey, the Baltimore Sun, in its leading editorial today, believes absolutely in his innocence and concludes as follows:

"It is to be hoped that Mr. Bailey will pass through this ordeal without even the smell of fire on his garments and satisfy his people that 'all his conduct has been sincere.' He is one of the ablest of American statesmen and his ability is recognized. If his great gifts and attainments should prove to have been used against the people, whom he professes to serve, it will make a profound impression upon the country and tend to destroy confidence in public servants."

In Civil Service.

Simplified spelling in civil service examinations will be accepted the same as the old style, according to an order just issued by the civil service commission. Many inquiries on the subject reached the commission from persons desirous of taking examinations for the governmental service who were fearful lest they should suffer in percentage of efficiency.

Rural Routes.

Rural route No. 1 is ordered established November 16 at Powder Mills, Hart county, serving 300 people and sixty families. Claud L. Cashon is appointed regular and Chester Bryan substitute, rural carrier on route No. 7 at Mayfield.

WATERSPOUT

STRUCK STERN OF PACIFIC STEAMER NEAR MEXICO.

City of Sydney Had Her Stanchions Wrenched Away But Weathered the Storm.

San Francisco, Sept. 24.—Almost by a miracle the Pacific mail steamer City of Sydney, which arrived here, escaped wreck in a huge waterspout off the Mexican coast, near Acapulco. The waterspout struck the stern of the vessel, wrenching away the stanchions and throwing the passengers into a panic. The spout swept with rapidity of whirlwind but the ship weathered it.

BAILEY'S FOES CANNOT AGREE.

Unable to Settle Upon Man to Make the Senatorial Race.

Dallas, Tex., Sept. 25.—The opponents of United States Senator Bailey have so far been unable to settle upon any candidate to put against him before the legislature in January next. Former Attorney General M. M. Crane, of Dallas, former United States Senator Horace Chilton, also of Dallas, and Railroad Commissioner O. B. Colquitt, of Terrell, are mentioned. None of these has indicated a willingness to contest with Bailey. Mr. Colquitt today said: "I am not running."

INTERVENTION IS CUBA'S ONLY HOPE

Little Possibility of Bringing Two Extremes Together on Middle Ground.

PALMA MAY RESIGN OFFICE.

Bulletin, Havana, Sept. 22.—A congressman whose relations with the administration are close, asserts this morning that President Palma and members of his cabinet probably will resign today and intervention is expected.

Sugar Trust Responsible.

London, Sept. 22.—The sugar trust and not President Roosevelt is responsible for Cuba maintaining her independence so long, but the time has come when the United States cannot longer refrain from taking most vigorous action. This is the view expressed by the Saturday Review, noted for its anti-American sentiment, in comment on the Cuban situation.

Only By Intervention.

Havana, Sept. 22.—Peace for Cuba, unless accomplished through American intervention seems to be further away today than when Taft and Bacon began negotiation to harmonize the opposing factions.

The arrival here today of three of the largest United States battleships and two cruisers in addition to those already here has had little effect on the insurgents in the field and when the leaders of the revolution were apprised of the big squadron now in Cuban waters they greeted the information with the declaration: "They cannot come to the bush."

The executive committee of the Moderate party today voted unanimously to accept whatever disposition of the controversy Taft and Bacon may decide upon in the hopes that such concessions would induce the Liberals to yield similarly. The latter, however, have not as yet signified their willingness to accept the decision of the American mediators.

Rumored Palma Will Resign.

It is rumored today that Palma and the members of his cabinet and the representatives and senators elected last December will resign tomorrow thus conceding practically all that the insurgents have been contending for and opening a way for a settlement of the difficulty without American intervention. Palma declined to be interviewed on the subject and other members of the government stoutly denied the rumor.

Taft and Bacon Abandon Hope.

Taft and Bacon have practically abandoned hope of finding a middle ground and fear a decision in favor of either side would result in no more than temporary tranquility for the island.

It is their belief that American occupation is the only way to end the civil warfare, and it is not denied that intervention must be followed by American sovereignty.

Taft has cabled President Roosevelt regarding the gravity of the situation, and Roosevelt is expected to dictate the future program of his commissions.

A demonstration was made today by armed revolutionists within a mile of the scene of the peace conference, General Acosta, with 300 insurgents encamped at Lailisa, west of Minister Morgan's villa at Mariapao, and half a mile eastward were the rural guards, militia and mounted police.

KILLED FRIEND

Marion, Ill., Sept. 24.—Mistaking him for a negro, with whom he had quarreled, A. E. Farley, ambushed and killed his friend, Adolph Williams, at a railroad camp near here. The murderer fled and was captured after a long chase, in which bloodhounds were used.

Cleveland for Cienfuegos.

Washington, Sept. 25.—It was reported to the navy department today that the cruiser Cleveland had sailed from Havana for Cienfuegos to reinforce the Marietta at that port.

TWO MAGISTRATES UNDER INDICTMENT

Supervisor Johnson Explains That The Two Men Have Teams on the Roads.

NOTHING CONCEALED BY THEM

If the charges of the grand jury are sustained, Magistrates John Thompson and W. E. Lane, members of the best families in the county, will be subjected to a fine of from \$50 to \$100. They were indicted by the grand jury for taking financial part in the building of county roads. The statutes provide that no magistrate or county official shall employ himself or have any part in county public improvements, and it is alleged that they have received money for teams and have actually hired themselves on public road work. The indictments were returned Tuesday but re-submitted on account of a technicality and returned anew yesterday afternoon when the grand jury made its final report.

The Road Supervisor's Story.

Road Supervisor Bert Johnson was seen this morning and made a statement.

"Yes," he stated, "both the defendants in the indictments have been working teams on county roads, but it was not contrary to law. For ten years Magistrates Lane and Thompson have been working teams in road repairing, and they continued after they were made magistrates. Take Lane's case and you will see where he is working or had been working one or two teams in county road improvements at \$1.50 per day. The regular team hire is \$3 per day and you can see where he is really making the county a present of \$1.50 per team."

"I heard of the matter when it first reached the grand jury and tried to appear before the board. For some unknown reason they would not grant me a conference, and I was unsuccessful. Had I been permitted to make an explanation I think no indictments would have been returned."

"The defendants have taken time by the forelock and secured a lawyer, Mr. J. C. Flournoy has been employed and he says that the indictments can be quashed."

Magistrate Lane is from district, No. 3, and resides on the Husbands road. His teams have been working on a road being built in front of property owned by him.

Thompson resides in the Florence station neighborhood in district, No. 6. Both are well-known and the indictments came as a surprise.

The road supervisor states that the fact that the two magistrates worked teams was not kept a secret and was known to every one; and was furthermore not for profit but to hasten the completion of county road work.

Lane and Thompson are Democrats.

County Judge R. T. Lightfoot charges that the indictments returned against Magistrates Lane and Thompson were instigated through malice by persons who had been refused county road work.

Judge Lightfoot said: "The statutes do not say that a magistrate can not work by the day, but that he shall not do county road work by the contract."

HEARST

AGAINST THE FIELD IS SITUATION IN NEW YORK.

Enters Convention With Largest Number of Instructed Delegates in Years.

Buffalo, Sept. 24.—It is Hearst against the field today. It is practically conceded that the New York editor has at least 125 instructed delegates, the largest number with which any candidate has entered the Democratic convention in years. The field is composed principally of Judge Gaynor, Jerome, Mayor Adams, of Buffalo, and Congressman Sulzer.

Higgins Out of Race.

Saratoga, Sept. 24.—Governor Higgins has declined re-nomination for governor of New York. The convention meets tomorrow. Politicians are all at sea in the selection of candidate.

Cranberry Pies Will Be Plentiful.

New York, Sept. 24.—Cranberries of which there was a short crop last year, promises to be plentiful this season. Wholesale prices are now \$5.50 and \$6.00 for 100 quarts, as against \$28 in April for the last of the 1905 crop.



Mrs. Lomas—I don't see what she wanted to marry him for. He has a cork leg, a glass eye, a wig and false teeth.

Mr. Lomas—Well, my dear, you know woman always did have a hankering after remnants.



Willie (with new gun)—Ma, has a cat got nine lives?

Mamma—Yes, so we are told. Why do you ask?

Willie—Well, then, our tabby's got eight coming to her.



Cholly Slow—Isn't it splendid here all alone?

Gladys Wise—Yes; I was thinking that very thing before you came along.



Poet—What is the matter, my little man?

Boy—Boo-oo! That little bird makes me weep!

Poet—Ah, the poetic nature!

Boy—No, sir. I forgot my air gun.



Dr. Pongo—Your appetite is poor?

Elephant—Very poor. I don't think I've eaten a ton in two days.

More Gold From London.

London, Sept. 25.—The United States today secured between \$1,500,000 and \$2,000,000 of this week's gold supply, totaling \$2,500,000. The price was 78s.

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HEAD MISSING

And Identity of Disembodied Body Remains Mystery.

New York, Sept. 24.—The mystery of the murder of the headless body found in East river yesterday is still unsolved. The only development this morning was the finding of one of the missing leg joints in a bundle between two freight cars. The victim was a foreigner, but his identity cannot be established until the missing head is found.

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Colorado Springs, Col., Sept. 25. The people of Colorado Springs have completed elaborate preparations for the celebration next week of the 100th anniversary of the discovery of Pike's Peak. The date of the celebration anticipates by two months the actual centennial anniversary, the change being made because the weather conditions at this time are more favorable to outdoor festivities than later in the year. It was on November 26, 1806, that Pike attempted the descent of the mountain which bears his name.